

SOVIET RUSSIA HAS PREPARED HER CHIEF EASTERN PORT, VLADIVOSTOCK, FOR INEVITABLE CONFLICT WITH JAPAN

Communication Between Great Parts of The World, Politically Aligned Against Each Other, Virtually Severed, States News Correspondent

(Note: The first foreign newspaperman permitted to visit the city in ten years, H. R. Knickerbocker, the noted roving correspondent of International News Service, found Vladivostock a virtual fortress, he reveals in the following article. Ninth in a series of twelve on "The Yellow Typhoon and Red Storm Warnings," this article for the first time describes in detail the extent to which Soviet Russia has prepared her chief Far Eastern port for the conflict with Japan that seems inevitable. Knickerbocker has just returned to Paris after a 12,500 mile trip across Asia and Europe.)

By H. R. Knickerbocker

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PARIS, Jan. 26.—(INS)—There is much talk of a threatened return to the Middle Ages but the world has already entered the Dark period. Communications by radio, airplane and all those instruments of progress we boast about, have been virtually severed between great parts of the world, politically aligned against each other and determined to maintain complete isolation.

Just as in Japan, so in the Soviet Union the population is kept hermetically sealed from the outside world. As in Kobe the customs authorities confiscated all my Chinese literature, so in Vladivostock the NKVD took all my Japanese literature, and a good deal more besides, including valuable carbon copies of stories and letters.

It was a holiday for the twenty NKVD men at the Vladivostock customs to examine the baggage of only four passengers, one Soviet engineer, one wife of a Soviet diplomat, a Japanese business man and myself. In twenty years of travelling I have never undergone such a search. They opened the toothpaste and probed the tube. They emptied every valise and tapped them for false bottoms. My bag of canned food for the two week railway journey excited special suspicion. They shook each can of beans and debated whether to open them.

Disaster almost overtook me when they found a toy Japanese sword, a Christmas present for a small boy, they clustered around it, and looked baleful as I persuaded them to test its edge and find it dull. I dug out a toy machine-gun and in a moment of bad judgment pointed it at them and let fly. The Japanese toy was remarkably realistic and all twenty NKVD men jumped. One even put his hand on his gun. Not a smile met my explanation. They grimly put the toy aside for the chief to examine.

He also got all my papers, every scrap of printed matter. They said I would get them back next day, but I insisted on going along to headquarters of the NKVD to explain to the chief how important to me were some of my documents and please not to lose them.

The idea of going to the NKVD headquarters petrified the two tourist guides who had met me. Throughout the customs examination they had hardly been able to utter a word, and when they did it was with cotton dry mouths, so terrified were they of the institution which, as one of its founders, Trotsky, put it, is the instrument of Red terror and terror is intended to terrify.

Nevertheless we went, and I was received by the NKVD chief, a figure which for the first time inspired me too with anxiety. Of Mongolian extraction, he had slit eyes, and a thin arch which turned down at the corners, and from a large mole on his chin grew a pair of thick bristles. Without a word he stared at me at least a minute, then turned his back, but to my surprise, permitted me to retain the package of documents I prized the most.

The NKVD building in each Soviet city is the headquarters of the true government. My host was the real boss of Vladivostock. He treated all alike. The wife of the Soviet diplomat broke down and cried after a full hour of examination. The Soviet engineer, employed by Moscow on a responsible mission abroad, had to surrender even his standard reference books on engineering.

By the time we reached the hotel Chelyuskin, the old familiar pall of anxiety, unreasonable, indefinable, but real as a physical burden had descended upon us. It never leaves until you cross the frontier going out. Here it grew heavier as we entered the hotel. Filthy, scummy with grease, the place looked like a flop house of the old Bowery.

The tourist guides showed me my room. It was dirtier than the rest of the hotel, small, ill-lighted, with a lumpy bed which later proved heavily inhabited with active insects. The drain in the washbowl was clogged, the electric light out of order. The

toilet down the hall would have sickened a pig.

For these accommodations, plus the promise of food, I had paid in advance \$15 a day. "Do you call this first class category?" I inquired of touristist. "Sure," he answered, "its first class for Vladivostock. If you hadn't booked in advance it would cost you \$25 a day paid here in roubles."

These matters had to be overlooked. I went out to see the city. By great professional luck I had to wait four days for my train in the city where foreigners, if allowed at all, are supposed to be hustled along from boat to train with as little time as possible for observation.

I walked all afternoon, for miles along the harbor jammed with scores of Soviet steamers in every state of dilapidation. Four Soviet gunboats or destroyers, relatively trim, lay anchored apart from the merchant vessels. An American steamer, the "California," from Seattle, was tied up, looking uncommonly elegant and clear among the unpainted Soviet hulks.

I tried to visit it, but met at every

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TRIO OF BOYS ADMITS ROBBERING NINE HOMES

Arrested in Langhorne; Held At County Home For Juvenile Court

HEARING HELD TODAY

LANGHORNE, Jan. 26.—Three minors, arrested here on charges of felonious entry, yesterday, admitted in a hearing this morning that they had entered and robbed nine homes in the borough during the past three weeks.

Those so charged are:

James Whipp, Jr., 13; Harvey Miller, 14; Bernard Simpson, 15.

The trio was taken to the Bucks County Home, Doylestown, following the hearing, and the lads will be held there pending a trial in the juvenile court of the county.

Arrested yesterday by Constable Charles Klickner, the three have admitted entering and robbing nine homes in the area during periods when the owners were away. Value of the loot is given at approximately \$300, and includes jewelry, money and miscellaneous items. Some of the goods, according to officers, was found in homes of the lads, and some had been sold.

The hearing today was conducted by Justice of the Peace Horace A. Cooper. The three boys are students in the local public schools.

Doylestown To Plan For Observing 100th Anniversary

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 26.—Practically every organization in this community in addition to individuals interested in public welfare and community progress will attend a meeting tonight at the Fire House at 8 o'clock to make plans for the celebration of Doylestown's 100th anniversary as a Borough to be staged here in June.

Thousands of dollars will be spent on plans for anniversary week which will probably be held the week following or during the convention of the Bucks County Firemen's Association. There will be a Mardi Gras, parades of various kinds, an historical pageant presented on the fair grounds and many other features to last one or two weeks.

Webster Grim, prominent Doylestown attorney, is general chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Missionary Society Meets At Robinson Home, Yardley

YARDLEY, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Frank Robinson was hostess at the January meeting of Women's Foreign Missionary Society of M. E. Church, with Mrs. Francis C. Thomas, presiding. Mrs. David C. Johnson conducted the devotions, and read a poem, "The Tapestry Weaver." Mrs. Hunter Smith read the story of a "Wedding in Algeria." Mrs. F. M. Labaw and Miss Anna F. Wright gave short talks on phases of missionary work. Mrs. Herman Zimmerman, membership secretary, named as her assistants, Mrs. Eliza Bready and Mrs. Charles Feiger.

Five members of the missionary society are attending the special classes being held during the month of January in Philadelphia. The mite boxes were opened under direction of Miss Betty Robinson.

Helen R. Dansbury conducted a study of Northern African conditions in the book, "Mecca and Beyond"

TO INSTALL OFFICERS

Camp 89, P. O. of A., will conduct installation of officers this evening at eight o'clock, in F. P. A. hall. Mrs. Lawrence Riley, Morrisville, district president, will be in charge.

Tumbling Temperatures Throughout The State

Tumbling temperatures, accompanied by heavy winds, today brought near-zero temperatures to communities throughout Pennsylvania, with freezing weather and a promise of more cold prevailed throughout the entire State.

Freezing weather and snow flurries were expected to arrive in Eastern Pennsylvania and Southern New Jersey on the heels of yesterday's gales. Widespread damage was caused by rains and winds in the Philadelphia metropolitan region.

More than 40 accidents involving motor vehicles were blamed on slippery streets.

Fair and colder in southeast and snow flurries and colder in west and north portions tonight. Thursday generally fair and colder in south and snow flurries and continued cold in north portion, is the weather forecast.

A vast section east of the Rocky Mountains struggled today against Winter's first severe onslaught of the year.

Raging out of the Northwest severe storms cut a wide swath of icy misery through the Midwest with unseasonable cold spreading far into the South.

Michigan was perhaps the hardest hit with its worst blizzard in 65 years burying the upper parts of the State under 30-foot drifts and bringing death to at least two persons.

But along flooded tributaries of the Mississippi from Wisconsin to Arkansas suffering from widespread as plunging temperatures caught hundreds of distressed families still in temporary shelter.

Four persons were reported to have perished in the high waters and with those dead in Michigan the toll in a dozen States affected early today stood at six, with a dozen or more still reported missing.

Near-zero weather held the entire Western Tri-State area in its grip today with the temperature at Pittsburgh dropping 40 degrees in two days. Cold, bitter winds lashed the district, the temperature falling to 10 degrees above at the Pittsburgh Airport.

At an altitude of 5,000 feet over the Pittsburgh Airport, pilots reported a temperature of five below zero.

Colder weather was forecast for today.

The sudden cold snap, in the wake of heavy rain and warmer weather, put city streets and highways in a perilous condition, covering them with ice. Highway workers labored through the night chiding them.

Rivers were reported rising by the Weather Bureau, with the bulk of the water moving from the Allegheny. A crest of about 15 feet was expected to flow. Many creeks were reported overflowing. The cold wave was expected to stem the rise, however.

BRISTOL SEXTET WINS ONE OUT OF THREE GAMES

George School Triumphs Twice in Annual Triple-Header Carnival

J. V. TEAM ONLY VICTOR

By Louis Tomlinson

NEWTOWN, Jan. 26.—In their annual triple-header basketball carnival held here in the George School gymnasium last night, the home team came out very decisively in two of the three contests while Bristol copped the middle one. In the first game which was between the third and fourth teams, George School walloped

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Stevens Program Observed By Fallsington W. C. T. U.

FALLSINGTON, Jan. 26.—The January meeting of Fallsington W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Jane E. H. Bacon.

After opening exercises of prayer and singing, the Lillian M. Stevens program was carried out. A committee having been appointed for entertainment, Miss Effie Watson and Mrs. Jane Bacon read articles pertaining to the life and work of Mrs. Stevens. A discussion on the Ludlow bill was very spirited.

The next meeting will be at the home of the president, Mrs. Frank Hartman, when Frances Willard day will be observed.

Refreshments were served. On Saturday, at the Friends' meeting house, at eight o'clock, the Youths' Temperance Council will hold a County Convention. There will be an oratorical contest.

BELONGED TO ANIMAL

What at first was thought to be the intestines of a human being were found floating in the canal near Washington street, yesterday afternoon. Police were called and they in turn summoned Dr. J. Fred Wagner and Deputy Coroner Dr. James P. Lawler. It was agreed that the intestines were those of an animal. It was ordered buried.

ELECT FIRE CHIEF

Clifford Hagerman was elected chief, with Joseph Buck first assistant, and Livingston Joyce second assistant, at a convention of firemen held last night in the Municipal Building. All of the officers will serve for terms of two years. Burgess Clifford L. Anderson presided at the meeting.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY

Election of officers to serve for the ensuing year took place at the monthly meeting of the Lower Southampton Republican Association.

Results of the election were as follows: President, Edwin C. Dossalet, Oakford; vice-president, Edwin Ridge, of Feasterville; secretary, William Blackburne, Trevoise Heights; treasurer, Miss Mary O'Reilly, Churchville, and directors, Mrs. Phineas P. Ross, Mrs. Edwin Dossalet, John M. Thompson, Mrs. Ireson Warner and William Entwistle.

Members of the publicity committee are Winder Vanartsdalen, William Blackburne and Charles Bean. Phineas P. Ross was appointed to serve as chairman of the membership committee.

Thirty-seven Unioneers, none of whom ever chased a horse thief, but believed in the idea, met Saturday afternoon at the 104th anniversary dinner of the Union Horse Company of Doylestown Township and vicinity for the Detection of Horse Thieves and other Villains.

Another perfect year was reported at the business session held at the Doylestown Inn, at 12 o'clock noon, followed by a turkey dinner served by Unioneer Rudolf Hein, owner of the host hotel. Horse thefts in 1937 were

conspicuous by their absence, it was reported.

President of the loyal Unioneers for the past 19 years, Thomas Ross, Doylestown attorney, declared it was high time for some "new blood" in his office, as he gave strict orders to the nominating committee to "lay off" him this year.

After careful consideration and due deliberation, the committee advanced the name of Dr. John J. Sweeney, Burgess of Doylestown, to succeed President Ross as head Unioneer for 1938. Burgess Sweeney was elected unanimously after he assured his fellow members that they would receive the courtesies that go with his office as "mayor" of the County Seat.

Members of the American Legion and its auxiliary, Rotary, Chamber of Commerce, Fathers' Association, Union and Capitol View Fire Companies and their auxiliaries, Red Cross, Women's Club, Fish and Game Association, all of Morrisville, Board of Education and High School students of Morrisville, Falls Township, Lower Makefield Township and all other organizations from these three districts have been invited to an open meeting of the Morrisville Parent-Teacher Association to be held in the high school auditorium tonight at eight o'clock.

An excellent program has been arranged for this meeting. George W. Ziegler, of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Department, will be the speaker. His subject will be "Safety" and he will also show motion pictures. Mrs. Edmund McClean will sing, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Moyer, supervisor of music in the schools. Miss Moyer will also lead the group singing, with Mrs. Ethel Davison at the piano. Richard Allen is arranging the program.

Mill Departments Have A Banquet; No Accidents, '37

EDGELEY, Jan. 26.—The finishing department, power house, safety committee, and various foremen of the Paterson Parchment Paper Company, enjoyed a banquet at the Hotel Hildebrecht, Trenton, N. J., Friday evening. The banquet was in honor of the two departments not having any accidents or mishaps during the year 1937. Speeches were given by men of the different departments regarding safety, after which a theatre performance was enjoyed.

WILL COMPIL INDIAN LEGENDS OF THE AREA

Stories of Early Inhabitants of Delaware Valley To Be Put in Book Form

TO BE ILLUSTRATED

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 26.—Dr. Dorothy Cross, State supervisor of the Indian Site Survey, reveals that a plan is now nearing completion whereby the legends, myths and fables concerning the early inhabitants of the Lower Delaware Valley will be collected and placed in book form for children. They will be illustrated.

The books will then be available for third and fourth grade youngsters.

Announcement of the project was made by Dr. Cross at a meeting of the Archaeological Society of New Jersey in the State Museum. Dr. Cross gave a sample of the legends and related the tale that concerns the "Ghost of Sansom's Hill" in Bucks County.

The story, briefly, is this: Two hundred years ago an Indian sought shelter at the home of a man whose first name was Sansom.

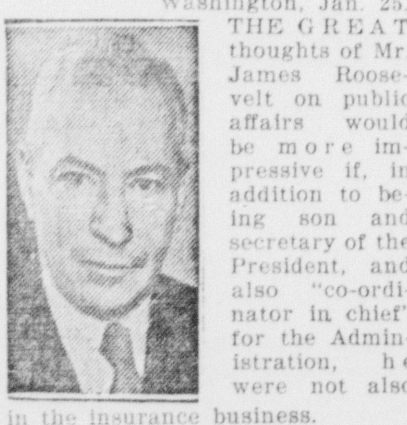
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THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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The Fight For An Audit



Washington, Jan. 25.

THE GREAT thoughts of Mr. James Roosevelt on public affairs would be more impressive if, in addition to being son and secretary of the President, and also "co-ordinator in chief" for the Administration, he were not also in the insurance business.

smug, and he quite clearly got the worst of the argument in his debate with Congressman Pettengill, of Indiana, on the departmental reorganization bill, his utterances were not without value in that they revealed again the intense Administration hostility to the general accounting office under the Comptroller General.

ACTUALLY, the real struggle in this reorganization of the Government business is over the general accounting office under the Comptroller General, which is now independent of the Executive and the only source from which an independent audit of anything can be hoped for or obtained. On one side in this controversy is Mr. Roosevelt, who wants the office abolished and the auditing done by auditors responsible to the heads of departments. Leading the other side is Senator Harry F. Byrd, of Virginia, who insists that the President's plan will do away with the one impartial statistical

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: A group of Bristol residents have arranged to participate in a nation-wide co-operative movement and plan to stage in Bristol a social function similar to a large number of affairs to be given throughout the United States, upon the occasion of the celebration of the birthday of President Roosevelt on January 28th, and

WHEREAS: The money to be derived from this affair locally, as that derived from the other similar activities throughout the United States, is to be used for a most worthy cause, namely in aiding the relief of sufferers from infantile paralysis by scientific research, epidemic action, informing doctors and parents of the new cure now known to prevent crooked legs, spine curvatures, twisted bodies, etc., contributing dollars to orthopedic centres (hospitals, clinics, etc.) for the immediate restoring of human wreckages;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Clifford L. Anderson, Burgess of the Borough of Bristol, call upon our citizens to liberally patronize this affair or else donate \$1 or more to the campaign and thus become a "Founder" of the National Foundation, which is to prosecute the war against the dread disease of infantile paralysis.

CLIFFORD L. ANDERSON, Burgess.

Bristol, Pa., Jan. 26, 1938.

BURGESS ANDERSON ASKS ALL TO SUPPORT FUND

Approves Plan to Raise Money To Fight Infantile Paralysis

BALL TO BE HELD FRIDAY

Plans are nearing completion for observance in Bristol of the birthday of President Roosevelt. The ball, to be held in St. Mark's hall on Friday evening will be a very attractive affair.

Today Burgess Clifford L. Anderson gave the movement his endorsement and issued a proclamation calling upon the residents to give it their support.

One of the best orchestras in these parts has been engaged. This orchestra features a well-known vocalist whose voice will be familiar to local radio fans.

National colors have been used as a decorative scheme for the hall, with large flags and pictures of the President placed predominantly here and there.

The entire proceeds of this affair will be turned over to the President to endow the newly-created National Foundation for Fighting Infantile Paralysis. The local committee urges all who can do so to attend and thus do their part in this war against the most dreadful disease of all.

For those who do not dance, the National Committee has created a plan whereby any person donating \$1.00 or more to the campaign will be known as a "Founder" of the National Foundation, and a certificate covering this will be presented to the donor, while a copy will be forwarded to the National Committee. Anyone wishing to help in this way can do so by sending their donation to the local chairman, M. J. Fallon, Jr., or to the National Chairman, Keith Morgan, 59 East 42nd street, New York City.

Mrs. Maria Ientilucci Is Victim of Sudden Death

Mrs. Maria Ientilucci, wife of Carmine Ientilucci, died suddenly at her home, 915 Cedar street, last evening. Taken suddenly ill of a cerebral hemorrhage, Mrs. Ientilucci died before medical aid could be obtained.

Survivors of Mrs. Ientilucci include her husband; four daughters, Miss Christina Ientilucci, Mrs. Caroline Bersani, Bristol; Mrs. Palma De Carrai and Mrs. Marie Pastiglio, Philadelphia; two sons, Albert and Angelo, of Bristol; and a sister, Mrs. Rose Cannassa, Italy.

Relatives and friends have been invited to attend the funeral, Saturday at nine a. m., from her late residence, with high mass in St. Ann's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Mark's Cemetery, under direction of Galzerano.

Tullytown Cemetery Board Reorganizes

TULLYTOWN, Jan. 26.—The Tullytown Cemetery Board held a meeting and elected officers for the ensuing year. Francis F. Bodine was appointed a member of the board.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Warner Wright; vice-president, Harry L. Moon; recording secretary, Wallace Keeler; financial secretary and treasurer, Francis F. Bodine.

SEEK MARRIAGE LICENSES

John J. Morici, 24, Katherine Mocer, 22, Bristol.

William Schultz, 29, Glenside, Frances Conway, 22, Willow Grove.

George Albert Pachet, 24, Kintnersville, Blanche Elizabeth Markley, 20, Rigelsville.

John McIntosh Selfridge, 26, Camden, Althea Elizabeth Shinn, 21, Delair, N. J.

RECOVER SOME LOOT TAKEN BY YOUTHS FROM RUMPF MILL

Value of Recovered Property, However, Will Not Exceed \$100

TRAIL LEADS TO PHILA.

All Four Admit Guilt and Are Held in Jail for Trial At Court

Approximately \$100 worth of the loot taken from the Rumpf mill, Buckley street, near Beaver street has been recovered by the police. Additional clues are being followed into Philadelphia today and indications are that more of the stolen property will be located. The first of the loot to be recovered was found in the yard of a Trenton junk dealer.

The four youths accused of the robberies were given hearings yesterday afternoon in the Municipal Building before Justice of Peace Edward Lynn. All four pleaded guilty and gave signed statements to the police. Those charged with entering the closed mill and robbing it more than once were each held in \$1,000 bail, while those having only one charge lodged against them were held in \$500 bail each.

All four will face trial at the next term of criminal court of Bucks county. They are charged with felonious entry, larceny and receiving stolen goods.

According to the testimony given at the hearing yesterday, the mill was entered on January 15th and again on January 21st.

Michael Angelo, 17, 408 Dorrance street; Patrick Minni, 17, 433 Washington street; and Pasquale Piccari, 18, 333 Washington street, were in the first group to be tried yesterday. They were charged with robbing the place on January 15th.

Louis Foster, agent for the mill property, said that Friday night his son went to the mill and found a prop against the door. Upon investigation it was found the place had been entered and considerable damage done. A generator had been broken, meter panel board ripped out, instruments taken, 35 valves and cables stolen, and light wires torn out. Brass and other metal was also missing.

Mr. Foster estimated the value of the stolen property at about \$335, while the cost of the labor involved would total \$290.

Chief Jones told of arresting John Mosco, Angelo, Piccari and Minni "All four," Chief Jones stated, "admitted their guilt."

The testimony of Chief Jones was corroborated by Bucks County Detective Anthony Russo and Constable Charles P. Alta.

Angelo, Minni and Piccari were tried for robbing the place on January 15th as well as on January 21st.

Minni and Piccari were arrested on Monday night, while Mosco and Angelo were taken into custody early yesterday morning. Being questioned separately, all four finally told a complete story to the police and signed statements, acknowledging their guilt.

Police yesterday went to Trenton, where some of the loot had been sold. Here some of the property was recovered and it is said that the junk dealer will be prosecuted in Trenton for buying from minors.

The police have since learned that some of the valves were sold in Philadelphia and officers will visit the junk dealers there today in an effort to recover the stolen property.

It is believed that the youths did not receive more than \$15 for the valuable things they stole.

Firm On Boycott

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 25.—The American Federation of Labor stood firm today on its boycott of Japanese products, but declined now to go to the length suggested by the British Trade Unions Congress and press for government embargo on war material shipments to China's invaders. An executive counsel of A. F. of L. meeting here, rejected the proposal "to make representation to the U. S. government as you suggested," President William Green cabled the British group, "but will consult with government officials regarding any policy of co-operation with other governments which may formally carry out the effect."

Lodges Protest

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The British government today instructed its ambassador to Spain, Sir Henry Chilton, to lodge a vigorous protest with insurgent authorities against bombing of open towns in Spain. By this action Britain sought again to halt the killing of civilians in Spain's civil war and to prevent further spread of the reprisal which has characterized the earlier raids during the past week.

TEMPERATURE DROPS

The mercury took a nose dive during the past 24 hours and the temperature this morning stood at 26 while at the same hour yesterday it registered 39 degrees higher, or 56.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 10.47 a. m.; 11.10 p. m.
Low water 5.19 a. m.; 5.53 p. m.

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SEEMS TO MAKE SENSE

Thomas W. Lamont is a partner in the House of Morgan; and every politician knows that you always can get a good hand by saying harsh things about the House of Morgan. But there is no law against listening to common sense, even when the common sense is talked by a Morgan partner.

Commenting on all the talk about a "strike" of capital, Mr. Lamont said at a University of Pennsylvania luncheon: "The entire business community has, according to my observation, made the most strenuous efforts to maintain the improvement that marked 1936 and early 1937."

That seems to make sense. Whether or not they like Mr. Roosevelt, most American business men like to make money.

And this, too, seems to make sense:

"In a great country like America, if enterprise is to continue to advance, fresh capital must be made constantly available for it. Now the capital markets, the fields of private investment, are practically closed. That does not mean that there is a strike of capital. There is just as little reason in such a phrase as there would be to say that 30,000 employees who had lost their jobs because of slack orders had gone on strike. No! Would it not be nearer the mark to say that that capital was on strike, but that it had been 'locked out' by such things as the surplus profits tax which has given warning to investors that no longer are businesses to be permitted to conserve a fair measure of their earnings for bad times; 'locked out' by the continued unsettlement of the problems of the public utilities, the needs of which, for new capital to be expended in material and labor for improvements, are crying aloud and cannot be answered?"

As we said before, Mr. Lamont is a partner in the House of Morgan. So we suppose that the only answer we will get to his series of pointed questions is a cry of "economic royalist."

BLOW AT GHOST WRITERS

Criticism of the Jackson and Ickes speeches, which heralded the President's own big business talk, has not died down. Grumblings continue and now we find that the assistant attorney general and the secretary of the interior have contributed to unemployment. Is it fair, asks Representative Hoffman of Michigan, in view of the fact that there are 11,000,000 persons unemployed in the United States, for Messrs. Jackson and Ickes to join forces and deprive a ghost writer of his job?

The question and the charge are based on quotations from speeches in which both Administration spokesmen use identical expressions such as the saving in government of big business, "going through the wringer," "throw their crutches at the doctor," and a comparison accusing capital of starting a sit-down strike.

Jackson and Ickes would better be careful; first thing they know they'll be nicked by representatives of the Anagnorized Ghost Writers of America.

Smoking is inefficient business. What if you couldn't eat pie without throwing away the half you hold it by?

There was the old-fashioned man who carried stogies in the crown of his derby. All trace has been

INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS OF NEARBY TOWNS

CROYDON

At Wilkinson Memorial M. E. Church, Saturday night, a meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society was held with a visitation from Bridesburg and Cornwells Heights M. E. Churches. Mrs. George Cornwells presided, and Mrs. Walter Rice served as secretary. There were several interesting talks on the work accomplished by this society. A social time with refreshments followed. It was also announced the Ladies' Aid will give a roast beef supper on February 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pirman entertained, last week, Mrs. Pirman's mother from Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trindle enjoyed a visit from friends in Morrisville, Sunday.

YARDLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dilliplane had as their house guests last week, William Chaffee, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mosler, of Warren Center, and Mrs. Donnelly, Vineland, N. J.

Complimenting John Noy, Sr., on his birthday, a number of friends gathered at his home on Pennsylvania avenue. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Balderston, Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mason, Trenton, N. J.; Miss Helen Dansbury, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Cadwallader, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Geraci, Yardley, and William Forrest, Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Hammer attended the dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. I. Serkent, Morris Heights, Saturday night.

Mrs. D. Taylor Ivins, who has been

confined to her home by illness, is improving.

Frank B. Wist, who was injured in an accidental discharge of a pistol, a few weeks ago, is a patient in Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J. Mr. Wist had been at his home, and due to complications, was again removed to the hospital.

A number of measles cases have developed among the smaller children in Yardley; among them Terry Dickel, Dick Dickel, Louise Dilliplane, Thomas Knowles, Betsy Knowles.

HELPFUL HINTS

From the land of Hawaii is coming crisp, green bunches of asparagus to tempt jaded Winter appetites in Eastern cities. Haiti is contributing green peppers.

Shoe experts are recommending a rubber sponge to clean suede shoes, rather than the sharp wire affair of former days. The same suggestion should hold good for suede bags. Buy a ten-cent rubber sponge, tightly made and if the article is very soiled, steam quickly over the tea-kettle as you brush. All the dust and soil will be removed, without harming the fabric.

Bristol Sextet Wins One Out of Three Games

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Bristol, 32-4; In the J. V. game, Bristol shaded George School with a last period rally to win, 32-27; and in the varsity tilt, George School again soundly trounced Bristol's sextet, 55-24.

Line-ups for the varsity game:	George School (55)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Thomson f	9	2	20	
Tapley f	11	4	26	
Mead f	4	1	9	
Bolton (c) g				
Ralph g				
Smith g				

Bristol (24)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Phillips f	2	1	5
Jeffries f	1	0	2
Eckert f	8	1	17
Wright (c) g			
Yates g			
Gibson g			

Periods:	6	7	7	4	24
Bristol	6	7	7	4	24
George School	20	11	8	16	55

Referee: Allen. Time of periods: 8 minutes. Score at half-time: George School, 31; Bristol, 13. Scorers: Broomell, George School; Zug, Bristol. Timers: Brash, George School; Smith, Bristol.

Line-ups for Second Team game:	Bristol (32)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Pagnone f	9	1	19	
R. Jeffries f	3	2	8	
Luffy f	2	1	5	
Winkler g				
Johnson g				
Sutton g				

George School (27)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Kahn f	2	1	5
McCurdy f (Capt.)	4	2	10
Shaw f	6	0	12
Coates g			
Raymond g			
Schreuder g			
Satterthwaite g			

Periods:	4	8	6	14	32
Bristol	4	8	6	14	32
George School	5	8	7	7	27

Referee: Allen. Time of periods: 8

minutes. Score at half-time: George School, 13; Bristol, 12. Scorers: Broomell, George School; Zug, Bristol. Timers: Brash, George School; Smith, Bristol.

Line-ups for the third team:	George School (32)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Broomell f	4	0	8	
Gutman f	4	0	8	
Keedwell f	4	0	8	
Walsley f	5	0	10	
Clymer g				
Satterthwaite g				
Brosius g				
Furvas g				
Metzger g				

Bristol (4)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Warwick f	1	0	2
Dawson f	1	0	2
Napoli f	1	0	2
Sharp f	1	0	2
N. Davidson f			
Brown f			
U. Sutton g			
Spezzano g			
Casimir g			
Tomlinson g			
Mack g			
Rossi g			
Kwasno g			
Wildman g			

Periods:	2	0	0	2	4
Bristol	2	0	0	2	4
George School	6	10	4	12	32

Referee: Allen. Time of periods: 8 minutes. Score at half-time: George School, 16; Bristol, 2. Scorers: Kahn, George School; Zug, Bristol. Timers: Brash, George School; Smith, Bristol.

EDGELY CLUB BACKS A PLAN FOR DOG WARDEN

EDGELY, Jan. 26—The Rod & Gun Club held a meeting on Monday evening in Headley Manor fire station, with the new president, Horace Walker, presiding. President Walker made an acceptance speech and appointed various committees to function during the year.

The game committee reported there seems to be a scarcity of rabbits in the surrounding territory, and also reported there are quite a few men in the field with rifles. The committee also reported there have been three foxes killed, and told of the finding of a wire trap used in trapping game. This was destroyed.

The Edgely delegation which attended the federation meeting in Doylestown asked to have the woodcock come in season with the rest of the small game during hunting season, and presidents of the various clubs signed a petition to have a dog warden for the lower district of Bucks County to take care of all stray dogs.

Joseph Haines gave an interesting talk about the bear he captured in Toga County on his recent trip.

The club approved the reinstatement of Ronald Swann and Franklin Wolfinger as the club's fish wardens for this district for 1938. A fish contest will be conducted offering a prize of \$25.00 for the largest bass caught, and \$25.00 for the largest pike taken from public waters. This is for club members only.

The books were audited, a balance of \$122 being shown.

The trap committee and all club members will attend the sportsmen's how in Philadelphia this week.

Refreshments and entertainment will be furnished at the next meeting, February 21st.

BENSALEM OWLS FALL PREY FOR MORRISVILLE

By Louis Tomlinson

MORRISVILLE, Jan. 26—The Bulldogs of Morrisville High issued a warning to the Bristol Bunnies, when they clipped the wings of the Bensalem Owls in no uncertain terms, 32-8, here last night—and right before the very eyes of Coach Steve Juenger and a couple of his proteges who witnessed the tilt.

Morrisville (52)	Fd. G.	Ft. G.	Pts.
Wallace f	4	0	8
Wilson f	3	1	7
Wilmut f	0	2	2
Rusecky f	2	0	4
Baehr c	2	0	4
Reitzler c	1	1	3
Yeager c	5	0	10
Gavin g	4	0	8
Johnson g	1	0	2
Foster g	2	0	4

Periods:	2	4	8	52
Morrisville	2	4	8	52
Bensalem	0	0	0	8

His secretary answered. In a trembling voice, she informed her that it might be an interesting scoop to announce the "secret" marriage of Bernice Delafield to Freddie Brandon, the well known interior decorator, which had taken place three days ago.

The columnist's secretary wanted to know where the wedding had been solemnized.

"You can call Mr. Brandon at his apartment around noon and he'll verify it." She gave Freddie's phone number and hung up.

Now to break the news to Dad and her mother. Lolly might be pleased at Bernice getting married—she wanted all her girls to be married quickly—"provided for," she called it. Which was ironical, in the circumstances!

Dad's tired gray face grew grayer as Ann, assuming a pleasure she was far from feeling, sprang her news.

So many strange things had happened to him in the past year that he had thought that he was immune beyond feeling anything... yet this hit him.

"By why an elopement?" A puzzled hurt was in his eyes, his dazed look.

"Darling, it's been coming on for a long time. Like the measles. You know, girls are awfully independent nowadays. You mustn't blame Bernice."

"But—but is he the right man?"

"He is—for her. She's in love, darling. She's terribly in love with Freddie Brandon."

(To be continued)

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the Byrd contention that Federal officials who spend billions of dollars of the public funds ought to be nagged to account for the way it is being spent, and the nagging ought to be done by some one they are not able to dismiss if they do not like him.

THE weight of the Administration is so heavy that Senator Byrd's fight is against great odds. Yet recent developments certainly have strengthened his arm. One of these is the amazing revelation of the imaginary CCC Camp, which a clerk in the Interior Department set up and collected \$84,000 for himself in faked vouchers. This camp, which existed only on paper, was discovered as a fake only by accident and after the payments had covered nearly four years. Another development is the testimony before a Senate committee that it is impossible to tell how many other such fakes have been perpetrated because there has never been a real audit of the department—that to conduct a real audit that will reveal how many, if any, such things have happened would take sixty men, a year's time and a million dollars.

STILL another is the latest report of the Comptroller General, in which he shows gross violation of law and disregard of the ordinary rules of auditing and accounting in the Federal service. Mr. Ashmun Brown, of the Providence "Journal," asserts that there is no living person with an even approximate accurate idea of how much money has been collected and spent by the Government since the New Deal began setting up alphabetical agencies, self-auditing in some cases and with no audit at all in others. Congressman Wigglesworth asserts that there are sixteen governmental agencies not required to submit accounts to the General Accounting office and twelve others which are required to do so, but which do not do so. He declares that "25,000,000 rental and benefit payments under the Department of Agriculture, extending over four years and totaling \$1,300,000,000, have not been audited."

WHEN the staggering size of the governmental expenditures is considered, the laxness and looseness of the accounting system and the

absurdity of the bookkeeping methods are simply fantastic. Skilled accountants, who know the facts, are shocked to their statistical souls. They do not charge corruption, though no one can tell how much there is of that, but they do agree that the opportunities for waste are practically limitless. All of this makes the fight of Senator Byrd a particularly interesting one. He does not contend that the Comptroller General's department is adequate. He thinks it should be expanded, strengthened and fortified. But its main merit in his eyes is its independence of the departments, which makes it possible for it to tell the truth. Its abolition, he insists, will leave Congress with no agency which can be relied upon for unbiased information and remove the only check there is to unrestrained governmental extravagance. The fight has reached the stage where the White House would rather win on this point of abolishing the Comptroller General than on any other. Neither blunders nor threats have been successful in diverting Senator Byrd from his views, though both have been tried, and it is no secret that Mr. Roosevelt has now developed a violent personal feeling toward Senator Byrd which he is unable to conceal when his name is mentioned. He has, in fact, indulged in some amazing outbursts on the subject.

THIS DATE IN NEWS OF PAST

Wednesday, January 26

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1837—Michigan was admitted to the Union.

1861—Frank O. Lowden, ex-Illinois governor and national Republican leader, was born.

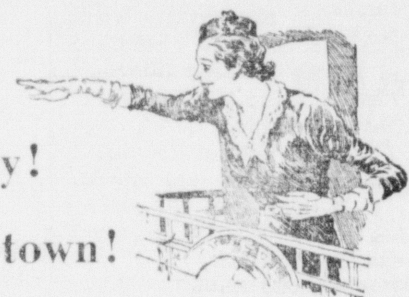
1861—Lotislawa succeeded from the Union.

1869—Henry Bessemer's epochal steel converter process was patented. (He got \$5,000,000 in royalties from it.)

1911—First successful hydroplane, built by Glenn Curtis, made its first flight at San Diego, Calif.

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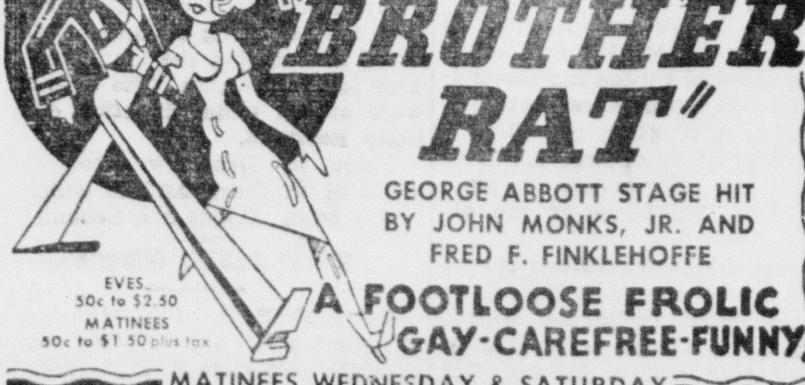
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Events for Tonight

Sour kront supper in Moose home, given by Women of the Moose, 5 to 8 p. m.
Card party at home of Mrs. William Borchers, 1801 Farragut avenue, 8.30 p. m., benefit of Mothers' Ass'n., Bristol public schools.

Jackson street. Business was discussed and election of officers took place. The new officers are: Leora Wood, president; Ruth Bailey, vice-president; Betty Lebo, secretary; Lillian Keers, treasurer.

ENTERTAINED HERE

Mr. and Mrs. James Roche and family, Trenton, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Roche, Locust street.

VISIT ELSEWHERE

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Klaiber, Madison street, spent Saturday visiting friends in Fox Chase, Pa.

Mrs. Fred Gill and sons William and Richard, Madison street, spent Sunday with relatives in Philadelphia.

HOME ILL

Mrs. William Ritchie, Swain street, is confined to her home by illness.

Bucks Co. Egg Farmers Win 24 State Awards

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town R. D., won fifth. Fifth prize in the hatchery white class was won by Frank Buttrill, Doylestown.

In the commercial pack white class, the Bucks County Producers, Doylestown, won fourth place, first honors being taken by Lehigh Valley Egg Producers; second by Wallis Brothers, of Perry county, and third by Mountain Side Leghorn Farm, Perry county. Doylestown beat the Coatesville auction. In the commercial pack brown, the Doylestown Producers, copped third place, being beaten by Floyd H. Moore, Lancaster county, and the Coatesville auction.

Bucks county took second place in a large field of brown egg competition, with a display by Howard Kurtz, Geryville.

COMING EVENTS

Organizations whose announcements are printed in this column can reciprocate by having all printing in connection with announced events done by the publishers of this paper. Information must be complete when first given as alterations cannot be made after they have once been put into type.

Jan. 28—
Birthday ball for President J. N. St. Mark's hall, informal.

Card party in Grace Church parish room, Hulmeville, 8.30 p. m., benefit of Girls' Friendly Society.

Jan. 29—
Baked goods sale in Bristol Presbyterian Church primary room, Cedar street, benefit of Camp Fire Girls.
Lower Bucks County celebration of President Roosevelt's birthday at Penn Valley Park, Trevese.

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WOODCHUCK SIGNS

Card party in K. of C. home, benefit of Knights of Columbus, 8.30 p. m.

Jan. 31—
Card party in St. James's parish house, 8.30 p. m., for Mothers' Guild.

Feb. 2—
Card party by Bensalem High School Alumni Association at high school, 8 p. m.

Covered dish luncheon at Church of Redeemer, Andalusia, 12.30 p. m., benefit St. Agnes Guild.

Feb. 3—
Card party by Ladies Auxiliary in Headley Manor Fire House.

Feb. 4—
Parish card party at Church of Redeemer, parish house, Andalusia, 8 p. m.

Feb. 5—
Annual chicken supper of Cornwells Fire Co., No. 1, in St. Charles' auditorium, Cornwells Heights, 5 to 8 p. m., dancing to follow.

Feb. 12—
Baked ham supper in William Penn Fire Co. station, Hulmeville, benefit of Hulmeville-Middletown P. T. A.

Feb. 14—
Covered dish supper and Valentine social in Christ Episcopal Church parish house, Eddington, 6 p. m., by Parish Aid.

Feb. 16—
Roast beef supper in Church of Redeemer, Andalusia, 6 p. m., for St. Agnes Guild.

Feb. 17—
Card party in Bristol high school auditorium, 8.30 p. m., benefit of Mothers' Ass'n.

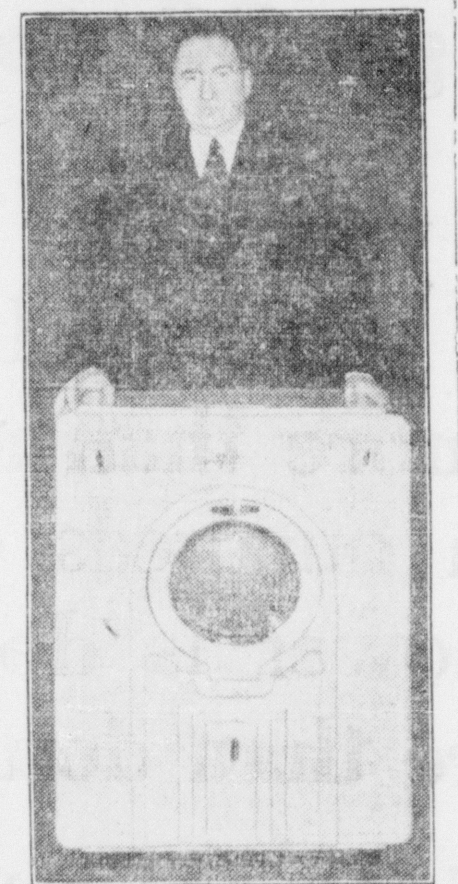
Feb. 18—
Card party in William Penn Fire Co. station, Hulmeville, conducted by Ladies' Auxiliary.

Mar. 1—
Shrove Tuesday pancake party by Parish Aid in Christ Episcopal parish house, Eddington, 8 p. m., play to follow.

Shrove Tuesday covered supper, with pan cakes, in Church of Redeemer parish house, Andalusia, 6 p. m.

If you want to buy or sell real estate try a Courier classified advertisement.

Banishes Wash Day



Vincent Bendix, noted automotive manufacturer and inventor, who has given the American housewife this new home laundry. The machine automatically washes, rinses and damp-dries clothes ready for the line with no attendance required on the part of the operator once the clothes are placed in the laundry and two electric dials are adjusted to govern water temperature and the time of operation. The machine shuts itself off after the damp-drying cycle. (Advertisement.)

Soviet Russia Has Prepared For Conflict With Japan

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turn guards of the NKVD, who were posted by the thousands throughout the city at every public building, warehouse, factory or dock. Their bayonets, always fixed, bristled from every corner, and made the city seem like a gigantic jail or fortress. Fortress it certainly is. Around us, on the crests of all the hills ran barbed-wire entanglements, and with field-glasses it was possible to make out the contours of fortifications.

On the land side as well as from the sea, Vladivostok is heavily guarded. The Far-Eastern army is taking no chances with the eventuality of a break-through by Japanese troops across the Korean frontier only fifty miles away. Already all traffic on the old Chinese Eastern, now the North Manchurian Railway, connecting Vladivostok via Harbin with Manchuli has been stopped.

Shrouded in new snow, the city looked clean, alive and bursting with energy. It sprawls for fifteen miles along the harbor, a frontier town of loghouses, freshly poured concrete office buildings, and innumerable military and naval headquarters.

The streets were full of Red Army men in their peaked caps and gray great coats down to their ankles, and of sailors with the name "Pacific Fleet" on the ribbons of their jaunty caps. Sure enough, the Soviet Union is making a serious start towards becoming a naval power. No longer is it possible for the staid old statesman's year-book to make the only witty remark that every year appeared in its encyclopaedic pages when it commented on the Red fleet: "The proposed reconstruction of the Soviet Navy has so far been confined to re-naming the old vessels."

"It may be only a start, but the Soviet Union's fifty submarines soon, it is said, are to be increased to 100 in Vladivostok alone, and undoubtedly the beginnings of a navy which Stalin intend ultimately to be an important

element in world power. Not until the Soviet Union has sea-power can it be truly strong. For today, were war to come between Japan and Russia alone, the Russians could never hope to do more than drive the Japanese off the continent, Japan herself, as in her war with China, would, except for air-raids, be safe behind her naval wall.

"We need not worry too much now," remarked the naval attache of a great power to me, "but when the Soviet Union does get a navy, then we can begin to think seriously about the future. I admit that the Soviet Union today wants peace and renounces new territory. But a strong Red Army would make a greater difference in Moscow's policy than any other one conceivable change."

Will Compile Indian Legends of The Area

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Bucks County Sansom observed that the Indian was intoxicated and refused him admittance. Several days later the children of the family discovered the Indian's dead body. Since that time the ghost of the Indian has continued to haunt the hill and makes his presence known by piling up snowdrifts in fantastic forms, thereby giving the present residents a lot of work in snow removal.

"Even to this day," Dr. Cross said,

"the residents find their lanes and yards piled high with curious drifts which have to be shoveled away."

A number of black and white illustrations of this particular legend have been prepared by an artist of the society.

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Musical, Dancing, Dramatic 44

PIANO MUSIC—Popular & classical correctly taught. Class or private instruction. John Firman, teacher, phone 2603.

Livestock

47
Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

POMERANIANS—A. K. C. reg. Cheap. Kicks, 425 Walnut Ave., Andalusia, Pa.

Merchandise

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Articles for Sale

G. E. ELEC. REFRIG.—52 New Hampshire pullets; chicken house; feeders. A. Zellner, Dixon Ave., Croydon.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers 56

COAL—Stove & nut, \$7.50; pea, \$6.50; buckwheat, \$5.50. Apply Arthur Ludwig, 641 New Buckley St., ph. 2670.

COLLIERY COAL—Stove & chestnut, \$8; pea, \$7; buckwheat, \$6. Sam Robbins, phone 7115.

COAL—Stove & nut, \$8.75; pea, \$7.50; buck, \$6.50. Scott Dennen, 257 Mackson St., Bristol, phone 2555.

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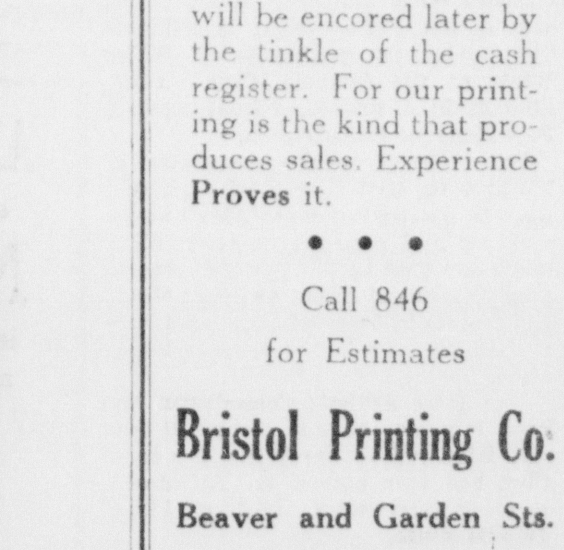
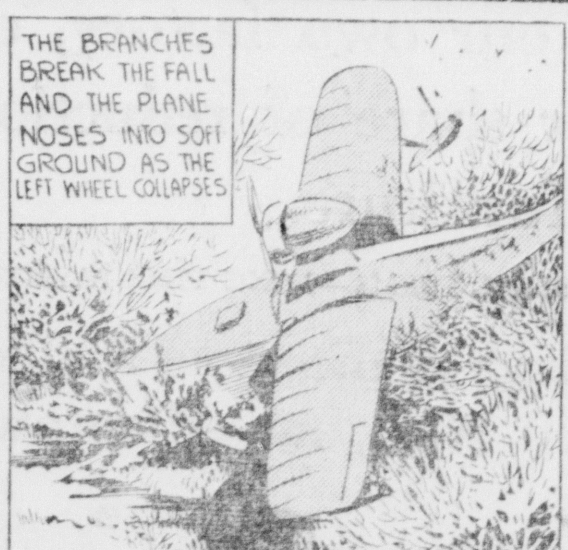
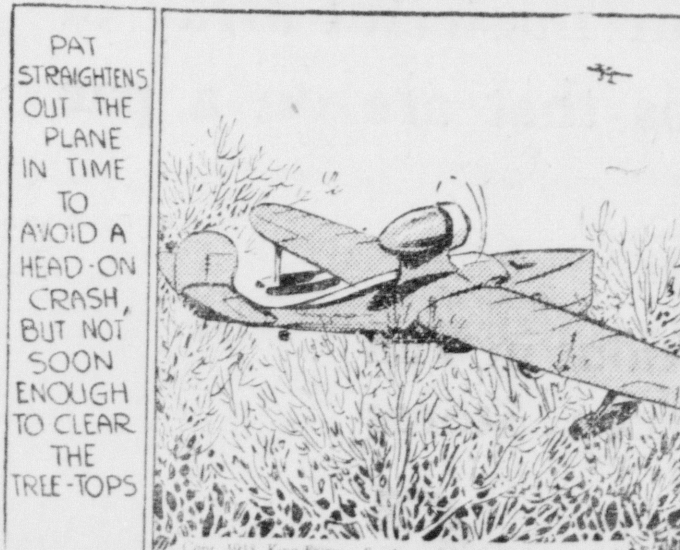
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JOE HAGY, M. A. A. U. CHAMPION, CLIMBS A STEP HIGHER UP LADDER BY DEFEATING HAYWARD AT CROYDON

(By T. M. Juno)

CROYDON, Jan. 26—Amateur boxing was revived in this vicinity last night as the St. Thomas C. C. sponsored eight bouts held in its indoor arena, Bristol Pike, Croydon. A large crowd was on hand for the opening and was well pleased with the bouts as well as the seating arrangement of the arena. Bouts will again be held next Tuesday night.

Five of the bouts held last night were those of the elimination tournament. The others were consolation bouts with the participants being well-known to the local followers of fist-cuffs.

In one of the main sets of the evening, Joe Hagy, Middle Atlantic A. A. U. 112-pound champion, climbed a step in the ladder to the finals by beating Phil Hayward, a colored lad from the Arena Club. Hagy was the master from the start, but the Arena fighter was willing to exchange blows from the start. Hagy caught Hayward off balance with a right hand sock in the second, flooring the colored youth for a count of four. Hagy won the entire three rounds.

Two of the bouts failed to go the limit. Two left hooks to the jaw were enough for Julius Schretzman as he took the full count after the second knockdown. The deliverer of the blows was Tommy Morris, Eastside. The knockout came after one minute and thirty-five seconds of fighting. The second knockout was in the third fight of the night, and this was a technical knockout as Referee Phil Collins decided that Ray Dean, unattached, was absorbing too much punishment from the mitts of William Jones, Seymour. He stopped the bout after two minutes and fifty-five seconds of the initial round had elapsed.

The heavyweight bout of the night failed to live up to expectations. The opponents were Earl Lynch, Sigma, and Alex Burnesky, Eastside. Despite the size of the gloves, neither one appeared to have any power in their blows, and it was just a case of slow waltzing the three rounds. Lynch was given the nod by carrying the first and third rounds.

Norman Smith, Broadwood, had too many uppercuts in his mitts for Stuart Anderson, Eastside. By getting those punches which shoot up and knock back the head of his opponent, Smith was able to easily win the first and third sessions and got an even break in the second. Anderson seemed well but could not get by Smith's guard.

A nasty cut over his left eye was mostly responsible for the defeat of Tally Sclarra, St. Ann's, who dropped the decision to Carl Moss, Wharton. Sclarra, after losing the first round by a close margin because of a straight right which Moss used effectively, came back strong in the second and boxed the ears off his colored foe. He piled up a big lead but at the start of the third session, Sclarra came out of a clinch with a bad cut over his eye. Most kept pecking away at the damaged optical and Tally had his hands full in attempting to protect himself.

A rally in the last round gave Joe Arnold, East Side, the decision over Joseph Ferrara, St. Ann's. Arnold won the first round by taking advantage of the rushing tactics of the Bristolian, but in the next round, Ferrara stood toe to toe with Arnold and melded out plenty of punishment to carry the round. Arnold made a last ditch rally to win.

"Hokey" Leighton had to finish strong to get the nod over William Oeschle, Lambs A. C. The Rescue Squad fighter won the first round by using a short right to overcome the lefts to the face which were being marked by Oeschle. Oeschle won the second after a fine exchange in which he outbit Leighton. Leighton had the Lambs Club fighter a little wobbly in the last round but could not floor his foe as Oeschle was a willing fighter and gave punch for punch.

The bouts were well supervised. The decisions were well received, and the announcing was of a high calibre, the voice of Announcer John Poserina being well heard all over the arena. The referee was Phil Collins, a former member of the Syracuse University boxing team. Judges were Ford Lilly and Harry Hamilton. Timer was Tommy O'Hanlon, clerk, Frank Palermo, and the attending physician Dr. Joseph I. Levy.

"CHET" CASTOR ISSUES STATE-WIDE CHALLENGE

"Chet" Castor, undefeated as a professional and who has engaged in nine matches since quitting the amateurs, sees action Friday night in Atlantic City, under the promotion of Willie Wink, at the Atlantic City Arena. Chet is in a six-round bout against Pete Kelly of Philadelphia.

Under the personal management of his brother, Carl Castor, who assisted Chet in his boxing career, both as an amateur and a professional, is filing claim for Chet as the flyweight champion of Pennsylvania. As King of the Flyweights in Pennsylvania, he issues a challenge to all 112-pounders in the state.

The State Athletic Commission has been informed of this statement and a decision will be known in a few days. Chet has seen action in Allentown, Reading, Norristown, and in all Philadelphia clubs.

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TOURNAMENT BOUTS

175 pound open: Earl Lynch, Sigma, defeated Alex Burnesky, Eastside, in three rounds.

112 pound open: Joe Hagy, Broadwood, beat Phil Hayward, Arena, in three rounds.

126 pound sub-novice: William Jones, Seymour, scored a technical knockout over Ray Dean, unattached, in the first round.

135 pound sub-novice: Norman Smith, Broadwood, took the three-round decision over Stuart Anderson, Eastside.

135 pound sub-novice: Thomas Morris, Eastside, knocked out Julius Schretzman, Seymour, in the first round.

CONSOLATION BOUTS

126 pound class: Joseph Arnold, Eastside, won over Joseph Ferrara, St. Ann's, in three rounds.

126 pound class: Tally Sclarra, St. Ann's, lost the three-round decision to Carl Moss, Wharton.

135 pound class: William Leighton, Rescue Squad, was awarded the three-round decision over William Oeschle, Lambs A. C.

MORRISVILLE GIRLS TOP BENSALEM; WIN, 17 TO 13

By Louis Tomlinson

MORRISVILLE, Jan. 26—The technique of foul shooting was the principal cause for the defeat of the Bensalem Owlets who were handed a 17-13 setback at the hands of the Morrisville Bulldog sextet here last night in a Lower Bucks County League game. The defeat was the second in three tilts for the proteges of coach Helen Smith and at the same time it marked the second triumph in three starts for the winners who moved up to second place just behind Bristol for the league leadership.

Morrisville (17)	Fd. G.	Fl. G.	Pts.
Seltzer f	4	4	12
Wilmot f	2	1	5
Mitos c			
Hartman sc			
Pancost g			
Levodowsky g			

Bensalem (13)	Fd. G.	Fl. G.	Pts.
Smith f	3	1	7
M. Hughes f	2	0	4
R. Hughes f	1	0	2
Ridge c			
Daley sc			
Stenberg g			
Rogers g			

Periods:
Bensalem 7 2 2 2—13
Morrisville 9 3 3 2—17
Referee: Thompson, Hamilton High.
Time of periods: 3 minutes. Score at half-time: Morrisville, 12; Bensalem, 9. Scorers: Antil, Morrisville; Bound, Bensalem. Timers: McGowan, Morrisville; Reed, Bensalem.

CLIFF OLSON TO MEET GEO. KOVERLY TONIGHT

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 26—Two of the roughest, toughest grapplers in the wrestling game will match holds and grips tonight at the Arena on Promoter Johnny Ipp's weekly card. They are Cliff Olson, the mad Swede, and George "K. O." Koverly, free-swinging Californian.

There aren't any rowdier or more reckless matmen in the game than Olson and Koverly and when they clash tonight there is bound to be plenty of dynamite. It will be a two fall out of three 90-minute time limit contest and when two behemoths like Olson and Koverly get together, anything is liable to happen.

A smart set of supporting matches will precede the main event. Rebel Rob Russell, berserk Southern grappler and a pet hatred of local fandom, will strive to snap the four-match winning streak of Geza Tako, classy Hungarian. Tako has not tasted defeat in his four bouts at the Arena and if he hurdles the Russell obstacle he will be the fair-haired boy of the mat addicts.

"Irish" Jack Donovan, handsome Boston Hibernian, will strive for his second straight when he meets Jimmy Coffield, rowdy Kansas City boned-bender, and Slim Zimbleman, Jewish Giant, makes his debut against Sailor Al Billings.

The first bout will start at 8:30 p. m.

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